

Recycling At Home

Recycling more at home does not require much effort if you spend some time to create a comprehensive recycling system. This system starts with having places to store your recycled materials in the house, whether this is a box, bin or bag. Keep the recycling container next to the trash can and will remind everyone to recycle as much as possible. Recycling will save on the cost of trash bag stickers.

Here are some simple tips to recycle more effectively at home:

Flatten corrugated cardboard boxes so that you can fit more recyclables into your bin. No pizza, beer or soda boxes and paper with a wax coating.

1. Most metallic items (*steel cans*) in the home can be recycled, such as empty spray cans and tin foil, and of course, all empty soda, fruit, vegetable and other food cans. The containers your green beans come in are **mostly made of steel** and can be placed in our metal bins.
2. Keep a space in your cupboard so that you can recycle as you are cooking or cleaning. It will make it easier for you to put the recyclables in their proper place.
3. To help your recycling center and to keep down foul odors, make sure you wash food waste off of any aluminum or steel containers before putting them in the recycle bin.